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For: MULTI-CHANNEL ECHO CANCEL METHOD, MULTI-CHANNEL SOUND TRANSFER METHOD, STEREO ECHO CANCELLER, STEREO SOUND TRANSFER APPARATUS AND TRANSFER FUNCTION CALCULATION APPARATUS

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

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TOTAL	35	-	52	=	0	\$ 50.00	=	\$	0.00
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CLAIM									
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE								\$	0.00
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**IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Examiner Briney III:

In further response to the Office Communication dated May 18, 2005 in  
connection with the above-identified application, please enter the following amendment  
and consider the following remarks.

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